

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD

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Organization Subcommittee on H. R. 5871, to provide for the administration of the Central Intelligence Agency; H. R. 5298, to establish Civil Air Patrol as a civilian auxiliary of the U. S. Air Force; Executive session, 10 a. m., 10 p. m., Old House Office Building.

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Mr. ALVIN E. HILLenkötter and Walter Forzhizer, both of the CIA, testified before the Organization Subcommittee on H. R. 5871, to provide for the administration of the Central Intelligence Agency; and Maj. Gen. L. B. Beau was heard before this same subcommittee on H. R. 5298, establishing the Civil Air Patrol as a civilian auxiliary of the U. S. Air Force.

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1. How have you functioned previously without the authorization contained in the proposed legislation?

2. What features of this bill have no precedent in existing law for any other branch of the government?

3. How do you propose to obtain your appropriations without disclosing the amount and the source?

4. What safeguards are provided in the spending of money by the CIA?

Questions submitted by J. R. Blandford, House Committee on Armed Services, for answer by the Director at hearing on 8 April.